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QUERIES put to the Author of the Paper called *Common Sense*.

1. WHETHER he, *the Author of the said Paper, is not an* Iriſh Papiſt?

2. *Whether he was not the Author of* Miſt's *Journal?*

3. *Whether he was not the Author of* Fog's *Journal?*

4. *Whether, though he was the Author of both thoſe Journals, he did not expreſſly aſſert in the firſt Paper that he publiſhed under the Title of* Common Senſe, *that* he never appear'd in Print before?

5. *Whether he is not a common, mercenary, hackney Scribler, who writes for Bread? and whether he has, or ever had, a Shilling in his Life, but what he gets by carrying on that infamous Trade?*

6. *Whether ſuch a Fellow as this, who pretends to write a Paper upon the Principles of* Liberty, *muſt not be a moſt impudent Cheat and Impoſtor?*

The SEQUEL *of* Modern Characters, *by* BRITANNIA.

'SUCH were the *Views* and *Principles*, and ſuch are they ſtill, venerable *Minos*, of *Three* of the *Six Incendiary Chiefs* that attempt to diſturb the Repoſe of my People. As they were the firſt in Deſigns on my *Quiet*, I thought it became me to uſher them firſt to your Acquaintance. I ſhall now, with your Leave, proceed to the genuine *Views* and *Characters* of the *others*, who, though they were not ſo early as the foregoing *Triumvirate* in Machinations againſt my Peace, are not however leſs culpable, as they are not leſs aſſiduous in ſubverting the *Conſtitution*.

'THE firſt of theſe *Acceſſaries* (ſo I chuſe to call them by way of Diſtinction, having always look'd on the *firſt Three* as Principals in the *Combination* againſt me) was an early *Favourite* with the preſent *chief Ruler* of my People; he was vain enough to imagine, that the Notice taken of him had been owing to his Merit, when it was purely the Effects of his Generoſity and Good-Nature. The Severities of a *Parent* he wou'd not dutifully deign to manage; and his own Propenſity to ſoppiſh Extravagancies, had ſo far reduced him, that becoming a real Object of Compaſſion, 'twas generouſly reſolved to liſt him above Want and Contempt. The ſame generous *Benefactor* that had thus cheriſhed him in his Obſcurity, ſtill continuing his Benevolence to him after the Increaſe of his own Power, promoted and diſtinguiſh'd the *Ingrate* from many more deſerving Objects. He was not only honour'd with an E——y of *Eclat*, attended with uncommon *Appointments*, but inveſted with thoſe ſhining, honourable *Badges* that now adorn his Perſon. And tho', on this Occaſion, he behaved ſo as to be given up by even his own few Friends, yet his indulgent Maſter, whom he had engag'd beyond a Poſſibility of receding with Honour, was ſo far from making him feel the Weight of his Reſentment, that he careſs'd him at his *Return*, and loaded him with *freſh Favours*. But, nor Indulgence, nor *Benefactions*, were capable of ſecuring the Affection or Submiſſion of a Man whoſe *Vanity* and *Ambition* had inſpir'd him to imagine he had a Right to the *Superintendancy* of all his Maſter's Concerns. Miſtaking his natural Propenſity to *Satyr*, *Sarcaſm* and *Lampoon*, for *Wit* and *Genius*, he arrogantly would ſet himſelf above the reſt of his *Maſter's* Family. And not contented to *adviſe*, he preſum'd to *dictate*, and that with ſo little Regard to Decency, as haughtily to *threaten*, if his Advice was not implicitly followed.

'As ſo ungrateful, indecent a Comportment, could not fail of cooling the Affections of his too indulgent *Benefactor*, the Decreaſe of his Influence was no ſooner known to the *Triumvirate*, but they diſpatch'd Emiſſaries to widen the Breach, as a Means to ſecure him to their *Party*, in order to weaken the Intereſt of *him* they had agreed to *deſtroy*. They eaſily ſucceed where unbounded *Vanity* and *Conceit* uſher *Reſentment* to the Heart; and he, forgetful of the moſt binding *Obligations*, ungratefully join'd ever ſince, in diſtreſſing a Maſter that had taken him into his Boſom, and nurs'd him up to an *Alliance* he could not otherwiſe pretend to. I am ſo charitable, however, as to believe, he did not intend, at his firſt ſetting out, to go all the dangerous Lengths of his new *Aſſociates*; but, I won't anſwer, that he is not now become as arrant a —— as the *Arch-Incendiary* himſelf; ſo prevailing is the Influence of evil Communication and vicious Habits.

'I have hitherto dilated on the Characters of *Men* whoſe *Defection* aroſe chiefly from *Ambition* and *Reſentment*; I ſhall now beg Leave to dwell a Moment on that of *one* in whom neither are ſo predominant as *Avarice*. 'Tis true, he is *Ambitious*, but 'tis only to accumulate *Riches*; he is actuated by *Reſentment* too, but 'tis for being deprived of the Means of ſatiating his *Avarice*. The ſordid *Paſſion* has ſo wholly engroſs'd his Soul, that he would be contented to be the *Drudge*, the *Hackney* of the State, provided he found his Account in the infamous *Drudgery*; rather than be out of the publick Road to *Wealth*, he wou'd act in any *Station*, take up with any Employ, however ſervile and ignominious. So intent was he on the dear Work of *Accumulation*, ſo loth to quit the alluring *Path* which led to it, that he could not, or rather, wou'd not, ſee the groſs Slights put upon him whilſt he was in *Place*, purpoſely to oblige him to lay down with ſome ſaving to his *Honour*. *Firſt*, The Secrets of the C——r, and the Buſineſs of his O——ce, were deſignedly thrown into another Channel; *next*, He was ſent into an *honourable Exile*, where his natural *Equivocating* and *Voracity* will perpetuate his Memory to the End of Time. But, deaf to all *Inſult*, inſenſible of *Reprehenſion*, like a famiſh'd *Steed*, there was no moving him from the *Provinder*, till he was forced from the *State Manger*, and fairly turn'd adrift.

'FROM this drawing of him, tho' but in Miniature, you'll perceive how neceſſary it was to diſmiſs this *cormorant Stateſman* from the publick Service; nor can you but ſee how ſmall Title he has to the *Confidence* of that unthinking Part of my People, who now ſwallow all the diſguiſed Poiſon that falls from his glib but proſtitute Tongue, were they capable of diſcerning their own Intereſt, they might ſee from his Behaviour *elſewhere*, whence the *Groans* of thoſe he had *deluded* and opp——d have reach'd all the Corners of my Empire, how unfit he was to be intruſted with any Share of their publick Concerns. But the *infectious Duſt* artfully thrown in their Eyes of late, prevents them not only from diſcovering the dangerous *Shelves* they are induſtriouſly ſhoved upon, but alſo from diſtinguiſhing their faſt *Friends* from their ſecret but avow'd *Enemies*.

'THIS, *Minos*, is a ſhort but faithful Sketch of the *Characters* of the Chief of thoſe who would force themſelves into the Management of my weightieſt Affairs. Wou'd you believe that Men ſo notoriouſly actuated by the moſt unjuſtifiable *Paſſions*, cou'd ſo far foiſt themſelves into the good Graces of a Multitude, that are not unacquainted with the true *Motives* of their *Oppoſition*, as to be able to *delude* them from their *Duty*, nay, from their own immediate *Intereſt*, under a Pretence of meliorating their Condition by a *Reformation* of the *State*? Alas! that a rational People can hope to be better'd by a *Reformation* conducted by *Men* of ſuch *Morals*, ſuch *Principles* and ſuch *Views* as I have here painted to you! How infatuated muſt they be that can't ſee through a *Set of Men*, whoſe ſole Drift is to riſe upon their *Shoulders*, and their *Ruin* alſo, to *Power* and *Affluence*! But how ſuperlatively blind muſt that Part of the *old ſteady Friends to Liberty* be, who abet an *Oppoſition*, which, if it ſucceeded, could not fail of uſhering that *Party* they moſt *dread*, into the chief *Direction* of *publick Affairs*.

'LET it be ſuppos'd that thoſe who are now inveſted with Power ſhould be turn'd out to make room for theſe *new Idols*, would the Condition of the *ſenſeleſs Many* be better'd by the Exchange? Would not the Number of the *Diſoblig'd* be at leaſt as great as that of the *Oblig'd*? And if theſe, encourag'd by *Precedent*, ſhould in their Turns *oppoſe* to be *reſtor'd*, what other Effect could it have but putting the *chief Ruler* under the Neceſſity of caſhiering both, and cloſing with their *common Enemy*, ſince either one or the other would be always *oppoſing* for the baſe Purpoſe of Power? But if they (thoſe now in Power) be ſo virtuous as to be incapable of acting ſo ignominious a Part, would it not be the higheſt Imprudence, as well as Injuſtice, to turn out the *beſt Men* to gratify the *worſt*?

'To finiſh the Portraitures I undertook to draw, I muſt, *Minos*, intreat your Patience for a Moment longer. The Character I am now to delineate is not that of a Man, but rather the *Shadow* of one, who, puffed up to the higheſt Pitch of *Vanity*, imprudently ſteps out of the Road pointed out to him by Nature, to thruſt himſelf into the Rank of *mock Patriots* and *Stateſmen*. Would the Pride of his waſted Heart permit him to ſee how deſpicable a Figure he makes in the Company that admits him, I cannot but think he would quit it to return to his priſtine Vocation of ſimple *Sonnateer*; and would he call to Mind his perſonal Obligations to many of thoſe againſt whom he levels his *Satyrs*, and their *Lenity* to thoſe of his *Perſuaſion*, I can't imagine but that common Prudence would dictate to him a Behaviour more ſuitable to his *Duty*, and more conſiſtent with his *Safety*. Nay, would he look into himſelf, and view the *Depravity* of his own *Heart*, his continued *Impoſitions* on the over-fond Publick in the exorbitant Price of his *Works*, and the mean *Arts* he has been known to uſe in *palming* them on the *Unwary* in *various Shapes*; I ſay, could he be brought to call his own Life to Mind; would he behold the Deformity of his Soul, as well as ——, I ſcarce think he would ſo magiſterially ſet up for a *Reformer* of the *Age* — Partial, unthinking *Phantom!* can he ſuppoſe that his rancorous *Partiality* does not glare in every unbiaſs'd Eye, that ſees that he would *deify* one Set of *Men* at the Expence of *others*, whom he impotently endeavours to overwhelm with the poiſonous Torrent of his *poetick Gall*? Can he obſerve no Traces of *Virtue* but in thoſe who *buoy* him above himſelf, to expoſe and make him ſubſervient to their flagicious *Deſigns* on the *Liberties* of his Country? Or can he trace no Footſteps of *Vice*, but in *thoſe* who, as Friends to *general Freedom*, humanely tolerate thoſe of his religious *Profeſſion*? Have Venality, Irreligion and Immorality taken Poſſeſſion of none but thoſe againſt whom he draws his partial *Pen*? He would be thought an Admirer and cloſe Imitator of the immortal *Horace*; if ſo, why does not he, like him, laſh Vice in the general? Why will he confine the Monſter to one Side only of the Queſtion? Why does not he ſeek her, and generouſly attack her, whereſoever ſhe harbours? Muſt the fell *Fiend* be ſuffer'd to roam at large in the ambitious, depraved Hearts of his beloved *Junto*, whilſt he combats her *Shadow* only where he knows the Subſtance is not to be met with? Is this to imitate the glorious *Roman*, who would ſcorn to be the *Dupe* of the *Seditious*, or be borne away with the deſtructive Tide of *Faction*?——But even this *Inverſion*, or rather Proſtitution of the celeſtial poetic Art, is owing to the perſuaſive *Poiſon* of the *Grand Incendiary*.'

Y. Z.

Yeſterday arriv'd a Mail from Holland.

THE News of the Grand Vizier's being depoſed is not yet fully clear'd up. The Poliſh Reſident at Choczim ſays 'tis certainly true; and that among other Grievances alledg'd to his Charge, the Janiſſaries complain'd ſadly that he had diminiſh'd their Pay; but all the Letters from the Frontiers of Turky vary with regard to this Occurrance. Some Advices from Conſtantinople only ſay, that ſuddenly after he ſet out to put himſelf at the Head of the Army, he was recall'd, which, eſpecially as it was not ſaid for what Reaſon, might give Occaſion to the Report of his Diſgrace. 'Tis true, thoſe Letters are of the firſt of March; and that the Advices of his being depoſed ſay it happen'd on the 4th. Then as to

to his being ſucceeded by the Baſhaw of Widdin, ſome think the Report is owing to that Baſhaw's ſudden Departure for Conſtantinople, and to the Non-Appearance of the Grand Vizier at a Time when he was ſaid to be upon the Road to the Ottoman Army. Nevertheleſs, ſome Letters from the Turkiſh Frontiers, by the Way of Poland, ſtill make mention of this Event, in ſuch a Manner, as if it were not to be doubted; and for this Reaſon there is the utmoſt Impatience for Advices directly from Conſtantinople. Theſe Letters ſay, 'That the new Ambaſſador who 'was coming from Kouli Kan, the Sophy of Perſia, 'dying as he paſs'd thro' Natolia to Conſtantinople, 'there was found among his Papers an Order from 'Kouli Kan to declare War againſt the Porte; and 'that theſe Papers being deliver'd to the Grand 'Seignior by the Kiſlar Aga, who is the Grand 'Vizier's ſworn Enemy, he took that Opportunity 'to blacken him in the Opinion of the Grand Seig-'nior, by repreſenting to him, that the Haughtineſs 'and Obſtinacy with which he rejected every Pro-'poſal of Peace, as well from the Chriſtian Powers, 'as from the Sophy of Perſia, was the Cauſe of all 'the Misfortunes under which the Ottoman Empire 'labour'd, and would not fail to plunge the Porte 'into very fatal Circumſtances, which ſooner or later 'might prove very tragical: That the Grand Seig-'nior was ſo exaſperated by this Repreſentation, that 'he immediately ſign'd an Order for the Grand 'Vizier's Baniſhment to the Iſle of Chios, or Scio, in 'the Archipelago, and then nominated the Baſhaw 'of Widdin to ſucceed him.' What ſeems to give the more Credit to this Account, is the Baſhaw's ſudden Journey to Conſtantinople; tho', after all, as it is not ſaid by what Means the Miniſters of the Porte became poſſeſſed of the deceaſed Ambaſſador's Letters, the News ſeem to require Confirmation.

They write from Petersburg, that the Marriage of the Princeſs Anne of Mecklenbourg, with Prince Anthony Ulric of Wolfenbuttle, is to be demanded by his Miniſter in Form upon the Anniverſary of the Czarina's Coronation; and that her Majeſty has ſignify'd, that ſhe will have that Princeſs treated hereafter with the ſame Honours as if ſhe were her own Daughter.

From Copenhagen, That the Count de Rantzau has, with his Daniſh Majeſty's Conſent, reſign'd the Viceroyſhip of Norway, reſerving to himſelf only a Penſion of 3000 Crowns; and that 'tis believed that important Office will be ſuppreſs'd.

From Vienna, That the Velt Marſhal de Wallis having viſited ſome Magazies of Corn and Gunpowder in Hungary, and diſcover'd that in the former there was ſcarce one third of the Corn ſpecify'd there by the Commiſſioners, and that two thirds of the Powder were bad, he had cauſed two of the Commiſſioners to be hang'd up for an Example.

From Berlin, That the late Velt Marſhal de Natzmer was interr'd there laſt Tueſday ſe'nnight, with the uſual Military Honours, only the Body of Gendarmes, conſiſting of above 800 Men, rode before the Hearſe, and none of the Infantry attended the Proceſſion.

From Leghorn, that the Convoy from Antibes, conſiſting of 75 Tranſports, having on board 6 Battalions, and a great Quantity of Proviſions and Ammunition, was arrived at St. Fiorenzo; and that Eight other Battalions were ſhortly expected there, which were to embark alſo at Antibes.

From Cadiz, That the Spaniſh Court having conſented that the 110,000 Pieces of Eight which the Governor of Buenos Ayres deducted from the Azogues Ships for the Pay of the Crews and other Occaſions, ſhould be placed to the Accompt of the Royal Treaſury, without doing the leaſt Prejudice to the Commerce, they have begun to diſtribute the Effects brought on board the ſaid Ships to the Owners, on paying the Indulto of 11 per Cent.

From Liſbon, That the King has prohibited the Importation of Goods from Aſia in any but Portugueſe Ships.

From Paris, That no leſs than 82 Members of the Univerſity have proteſted againſt the Retraction of the Appeal againſt the Bull *Unigenitus*, and preſented a Petition thereupon to the Parliament.

The Letters from Liege applaud the great Care and Pains taken by the Townſmen to preſerve the Tranquility of the City ſince the late Riot on Account of Bread and Bread-Corn; near 400 of the Burghers, who were for the moſt Part Counſellors, Attornies, Scriveners, Solicitors and Merchants, having done Duty upon this Occaſions, with Bugle-Horns, Hautboys, Baſſoons, Drums and Fifes to attend them.

Thoſe from Vienna add, That the Proſpect of a Peace between the Emperor and the Porte increaſes every Day, and that they have great Expectations that the Secretary whom the French Ambaſſador has ſent to Conſtantinople will return with ſome certain Agreement for a Suſpenſion of Arms. 'Tis remark'd in the mean while, that the Turks make little Stir towards opening the Campaign in Hungary, and that they have not yet aſſembled their Army on that Side, whereas they had begun laſt Year before this Time to block up Orſova, and to defile towards Meadia. This Inactivity of theirs may alſo be imputed to another very natural Cauſe, viz. the Plague, which ſtill rages in the Ottoman Army.

They write from Sileſia, That a Fire happen'd on the 21ſt ult. O. S. thro' Negligence, at the Houſe of the Emperor's Receiver at Bruntzlaw, which, by the Violence of the Wind, ſet the whole City and Suburbs in Flames in leſs than two Hours, ſo that out of a great many well-built Houſes, but 15 were leſt ſtanding.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Elſeneur, May 19. *N. S.* Since my laſt came in the following Maſters, viz. On the 17th, Edward Nairn, from Riga: On the 18th, Thomas Curling, from Stockholm, both for London; and this Day Robert Abbot; Thomas Jackſon; James Hawkes; and Thomas Smith, for Petersburg; John Dunkin, for Stockholm; John Bowell; Joſeph Jordon; and John Dennis, for Riga, all from London.

'Thoſe bound for the Baltick are ſailed with the 'Wind at N. E. which ſtill continues: There's 'more Ships coming in, but as the Poſt is going their 'Names in my next.'

Hamburgh, May 22. *N. S.* Up the Elbe is arrived the ——, Jeremiah, Whitaker, from San Lucar; the Concord, William Spilman, from Leghorn; the ——, Charles Strahan, from Zant; the St. George, John Raſton, from Cadiz; and the ——, Charles Latham, from Marſeilles.

Amſterdam, May 25. *N. S.* In the Texel is arrived the ——, Cornelius Brown, from Carolina; at Bruges, the ——, Etherington, from Leghorn; and at Gibraltar, the —, Pomeroy, from Hamburgh for Leghorn.

HOME PORTS.

Falmouth, May 14. Yeſterday ſail'd the Prince Frederick Packet, Lovel, for Liſbon; and the Eagle Packet, for the Groyne, with the reſt of the outward-bound. Arrived the Townſhend Packet, Cooper, for the Groyne. Remains the Expedition Packet, for Liſbon, with the Wind at S. E.

Plymouth, May 14. Since my laſt came in the Ann Snow, Kennell, from Antigua; the Amelia, Howſton, from North Carolina; the Sea Flower, Sowerby, from the Bite of Bennin, on the Coaſt of Africa; and the Defiance, of and from Chepſtow, all for London.

Pool, May 16. Came in the Three Brothers, Phippard; and the Richard and Sarah, Nicholas, both from Newcaſtle. Sailed the George, Pike, for Cadiz; and the Morning Star, Carteret, for St. Malo.

Cowes, May 16. On the 15th came in and ſail'd again the Jane and Betty, Guthrie, of and from London for Liſbon. Came in the St. Nicholas, Morell, of and for Bologn, from Plymouth: On the 16th came in the Jane, Pitton, of and for Guernſey from Southampton, and ſailed the ſame Day.

Southampton, May 16. Since my laſt ſailed the St. Thomas, St. Barbe, for the Gariſons of Canſo in Nova Scotia and Placentia in Newfoundland; the Mary, Bailleul, for Cherburg; and the Two Marys, Gordon, for Guernſey. Wind N. E.

Deal, May 17. Wind N. by E. blows very hard. Remain the Ships and Sloops of War as per my laſt. Came down and ſailed through, the Houghton, Hancock, for Liſbon; the Antelope, Ayres, for Newfoundland; and the San Antonio de Padua, Chriſtoval de Nevilla, for Bilboa.

Gravesend, May 17. Yeſterday paſſed by the Queen Ann, Patterſon, from Norway; the John and Hannah, Mitchel, from Dantzick; the Providence, Hubbard, from Riga; and this Day the Lady Catherine, Egbert, from Frieſland; the Trimmer, Reddard; and the Farnley, Ducket, from Liſbon; and the Prince William, Johnſon, from North Carolina, laſt from Antigua.

Arrived at ſeveral Ports.

The Johnſton, Crockatt, from London and Cork at Jamaica.

The John and Mary, Tyſon, from Antigua at Cork.

The Harrington, Jenkins, from London for Bombay and China, was the 26th of November laſt, in the Latitude of 32 Degrees South, about 300 Leagues to the Eaſtward of the Cape of Good Hope, and all well on board.

The Clyde, Watſon, from Antigua at Dartmouth.

LONDON.

The Earl of Angleſea, Sir William Burdet, Bart. &c. are arrived at Dublin; from whence we hear, that the Houſe of the Rev. Mr. Francis Glover, of Lusk, in that County, was conſumed to the Ground by a Fire which broke out at the Roof of it laſt Sunday ſe'nnight, and deſtroy'd all his Books, Furniture, &c.

On the Tueſday following the Lady Tyrone was deliver'd of a Son.

Yeſterday Joſeph Partridge, John Wright, Edward Jenkins, William Alexander, and Andrew Glaſcock, were committed to Newgate by Colonel De Veil, on a Charge of being concerned in ſeveral Robberies, &c. in the Company of James Lewes, the Evidence, and ſeveral others.

Next Thurſday the following of his Majeſty's Ships will be recall'd at the Pay-Office in Broad-ſtreet, viz. Princeſs Amelia, Aldborough, Deptford, Warwick, Buckingham, Orford, Litchfield, Saliſbury, Spence Sloop, Newcaſtle, Pearl, Diamond, Fox, Blandford, Terrible Sloop, Scarborough, Lively, Portland, Salamander, Argyle, and the Navy Iſlands Sloop.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to grant unto the Rev. Matthew Hutton, one of his Majeſty's Chaplains in Ordinary, the Dignity of one of the Prebendaries of the Collegiate Church of St. Peters, Weſtminſter, void by the Reſignation of the laſt Incumbent.

And his Majeſty has appointed the Rev. Mr. Burchet, Chaplain to the Hon. Houſe of Commons, to be one of the Prebendaries of Windſor, in the room of Dr. Hutton.

And on Wedneſday laſt he kiſſed his Majeſty's Hand for the ſame.

Yeſterday their Royal Highneſſes the Prince and Princeſs of Wales, attended by ſeveral Perſons of Diſtinction, went from Norfolk-Houſe to Deptford, and dined on board the fine new Ship called the Princeſs Auguſta, belonging to the Lord Baltimore, where a ſplendid Entertainment was provided for them.

On Thurſday laſt came on the Election of a Lecturer for the united Pariſhes of St. Michael Royal and St. Martin Vintry upon College *Hill*; the Candidates were the Rev. Mr. Rutter, the Rev. Mr. Porter, the Rev. Mr. Panton, and the Rev. Mr. Keighly; when the above Gentlemen were reduced to two by ballotting, viz. the Rev. Mr. Rutter, the Rev. Mr. Porter; and on caſting up the third Ballot the Numbers ſtood thus,

For the Rev. Mr. Rutter 47
For the Rev. Mr. Porter 30

Whereupon the Rev. Mr. Rutter was declared duly elected.

N. B. *The Letter ſign'd* Alg. Sidney *is receiv'd, and ſhall be inſerted on* Monday *next.*

High Water this Day at London Bridge.	Morning	Evening
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Bank Stock 142. India 169. South Sea 99 7-8ths. Old Annuity 111 7-8ths. New ditto 111 7-8ths. Three per Cent. 105 1-half. Seven per Cent. Loan 110 1-8th. Five per Cent. ditto 93 3-8ths. Royal Aſſurance 100. London Aſſurance 12 1-half. African 13 1-half. India Bonds 6 l. 10 s. to 11 s. Premium. South Sea ditto, 2 l. 1 s. Premium. Bank Circulation 2 l. 17 s. 6d. Premium. Salt Tallies 1-half to 1 1-half Premium. Engliſh Copper 3 l. 5 s. Welſh ditto 15 s. Three 1-half per Cent. Exchequer Orders 5 per Cent. Premium. Three per Cent. ditto 1 half per Cent. Diſcount. Million Bank 121 1-4th.

General Poſt-Office, May 12. 1739.

WHEREAS ſeveral Bills and Notes have been taken upon the Perſon who lately robb'd the Weſtern Mail, and are now in the Hands of the Juſtice of the Peace who committed him to Exeter Gaol, The Poſt-Maſter General thinks it neceſſary to acquaint the Publick, that any Perſon or Perſons who expected or have had an Account of Bills to be ſent them by the ſaid Mail, may hear of them at the General Poſt-Office.

By Order of the Poſt-Maſters General.

J. D. BARBUT, Secretary.

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